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- **Pretrial Motions.** Judge Mark Fishburn will cover effective use of pretrial motions.
- **Preservation for Appeal.** David Raybin will discuss techniques you need to preserve your case for appeal.
- **Suppression of Blood Alcohol Tests.** André Wharton will explain the use of blood alcohol tests and the best methods for suppression.
- **Payment.** Lacy Wilber will discuss indigent representation and getting paid.
- **Post-conviction & Immigration.** Patrick McNally will cover issues from the recent U.S. Supreme Court Case *Jae Lee v. United States*.
- **General Immigration Consequences.** Immigration Specialist Mary-Kathryn Harcombe will provide an overview of issues you need to be aware of when representing foreign nationals.
- **General Sessions.** Deputy Public Defender Aisha McWeay will outline the process of navigating your way through general sessions dockets.
- **Ethical concerns.** Bryan Stephenson presents ethical scenarios that criminal law attorneys need to know for effective client management.
- **Update.** Ben Raybin updates attorneys on the latest legislative changes in the criminal law area.

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- Preserving the record for appeal
- Client management techniques
- Hear from Judge Fishburn on effective use of pretrial motions
- Immigration issues in criminal procedure
- Ethical considerations in the practice of criminal law
- Criminal law legislative update



Agenda

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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 30

Getting Paid: Appointment Orders and AOC Filings 8:00 a.m. to 8:45 a.m.

Lacy Wilber
Assistant General Counsel, Tennessee Supreme Court

Ms. Wilber will discuss indigent representation in Tennessee and how to get paid by the Administrative Office of the Courts.

General Sessions Dockets

8:45 a.m. to 9:15 a.m.
Aisha McWeayDeputy Public Defender
Nashville Metro Public Defender’s Office

Ms. McWeay will provide an overview of General Sessions court practice for effective representation of clients.

Immigration Issues

9:15 a.m. to 9:45 a.m.
Mary-Kathryn Harcombe
Assistant Public Defender / Immigration Specialist
Nashville Metro Public Defender’s Office

- This session will cover:
- Issues relating to foreign nationals in criminal cases
 - How to adequately advise foreign nationals of the immigration risks in a case
 - How to effectively negotiate a resolution to avoid or reduce the risk of immigration consequences

Morning Break

9:45 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Fighting to stay in the USA: One immigrant’s struggle to the U.S. Supreme Court

10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
Patrick T. McNally
Weatherly McNally & Dixon, PLLC

- This session will cover:
- Criminal law
 - Post-conviction
 - Immigration issues
 - U.S. Supreme Court practice

Ethical Client Management

11:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Bryan Stephenson
Law Office of Bryan Stephenson

- This session will cover how to:
- Establish trust (and get hired)
 - Manage client expectations
 - Build trust
 - Communicate
 - Answer questions (ethically)
 - When necessary, bring your client back to reality.

Lunch (included with registration)
12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Suppression of Blood Alcohol Results, Horizontal Gaze Nystagmus Tests & Field Sobriety Tests

1:00 p.m. to 1:45 p.m.
André Wharton
The Wharton Law Firm

Field sobriety tests have been used to develop probable cause for arrest and as evidence in court. In this session you will learn about suppression of blood alcohol results, the horizontal gaze Nystagmus tests and field sobriety tests. Mr. Wharton’s session is timely in light of the recent Court of Criminal Appeals decision which held it unconstitutional for the Tennessee Bureau of Investigation to receive \$250 for each DUI conviction obtained using a blood or breath test.

Criminal Legislative Law Update

1:45 p.m. to 2:45 p.m.
Ben Raybin Raybin & Weissman P.C.

Mr. Raybin will review new criminal laws from the 2018 legislative session and offer insight on what’s ahead in the General Assembly for 2018 and beyond. Mr. Raybin will review relevant developments in the law, including:

- New criminal law statutes
- Amended criminal law statutes
- New rules of criminal procedure
- Bills that failed, but may come up again

Afternoon Break

2:45 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Preserving Appellate Issues at Trial – First Steps

3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.
David Raybin
Raybin & Weissman P.C.

- This session will cover:
- Rules regarding the admissibility of evidence
 - Anticipating objections
 - Special jury instructions regarding the admissibility of evidence

Pretrial Motions

4:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Judge Mark FishburnDavidson County Criminal Court Judge

- This session will cover:
- Selecting your motions
 - Strategic timing
 - Establishing grounds for granting suppression motions
 - Unlawful search and seizure
 - Involuntary confessions
 - Unfair eyewitness identification procedure
 - Overcoming exceptions to the Exclusionary Rule
 - Procedural issues

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